

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Meeting Date: September 21, 2005 Division: Mayor Dixie Spehar

Bulk Item: Yes ☐ No ☐ Department: BOCC1

Staff Contact Person: Jana Johnson-Willi

AGENDA ITEM WORDING: Approval of a resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida to increase charges for birth and death certificates.

ITEM BACKGROUND: Increase in fees is necessary to defray costs of County services provided by the Monroe County Health Department. Many Florida counties are charging an average of \$10.00 and \$14.00 respectively.

PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION:

CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES:

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

TOTAL COST: _____ **BUDGETED:** Yes ☐ No ☐

COST TO COUNTY: _____ **SOURCE OF FUNDS:** _____

REVENUE PRODUCING: Yes ☐ No ☐ **AMOUNT PER MONTH** _____ **Year** _____

APPROVED BY: County Atty _____ OMB/Purchasing _____ Risk Management _____

DIVISION DIRECTOR APPROVAL: *Dixie M. Spehar*
Dixie M. Spehar, Mayor

DOCUMENTATION: Included ☐ Not Required ☐

DISPOSITION: _____ **AGENDA ITEM #** _____

RESOLUTION NO. ____-2005

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA, TO INCREASE CHARGES FOR
BIRTH AND DEATH CERTIFICATES.**

WHEREAS, Section 154.01(2)(b) F.S. requires county health departments to maintain vital statistics;
and

WHEREAS, this service may be funded by federal, state or local funds; and

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Health Department currently charges \$8.00 and \$9.00, respectively,
for birth and death certificates, while other Florida counties are charging averages of \$10.00 and \$14.00 each;
and

WHEREAS, the BOCC finds that an increase in the fees charged is warranted and that the increase will
be used to defray the cost to the County of services provided by the Monroe County Health Department;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
MONROE COUNTY;**

1. That the Monroe County Health Department shall collect fees for the following services as specified:

<u>CERTIFICATE</u>	<u>FEE</u>
Birth	\$12.00
Death	\$13.00

2. Any prior resolution inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.
3. This resolution shall become effective on October 1, 2005.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, at a
regular meeting of the Board held on the 21st day of September, 2005.

Mayor Dixie M. Spehar
Mayor Pro Tem Charles "Sonny" McCoy
Commissioner Murray Nelson
Commissioner George Neugent
Commissioner David Rice

Attest: DANNY L. KOLHAGE, CLERK

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

By: _____
MAYOR

(SEAL)

MONROE COUNTY ATTORNEY
APPROVED AS TO FORM


SUZANNE A. HUTTON
ASSISTANT COUNTY ATTORNEY
Date 8/19/05